

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Saturday, February 9, 2019
9:00 AM PST

Day 1: Heavy snow will impact travel over the mountains of central and northern CA

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

02/09/19 - 02/15/19

Saturday-Sunday

- Several cold storm systems will move through the state
 - Valley rain and mountain snow with snow levels down to 1500 feet
 - Heavy snow along with gusty winds creating blowing snow over the Sierra and mountains of northern CA will significantly impact travel. Travel will also be impacted over the mountains of far southern CA due to snow
 - Gusty winds over many lower elevation areas will impact travel

Monday-Tuesday

- Coastal rain and low elevation snow down to 1500 feet across far northern CA. Travel will be impacted due to the snow.

Wednesday

- Potential for heavy rain and mountain snow across the state. Confidence is low on precipitation amounts, location and impacts.

Thursday

- Dry conditions across much of the state with no significant impacts

Friday

- Potential for another round of heavy rain and mountain snow across the state. Confidence is low on precipitation amounts, location and impacts.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

02/09/19 - 02/15/19

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	All Regions	All Regions	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland	All Regions		All Regions
Snow	All Regions	All Regions	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland	Coastal/ Inland		Coastal/ Inland
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)							
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow					All Regions		All Regions
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



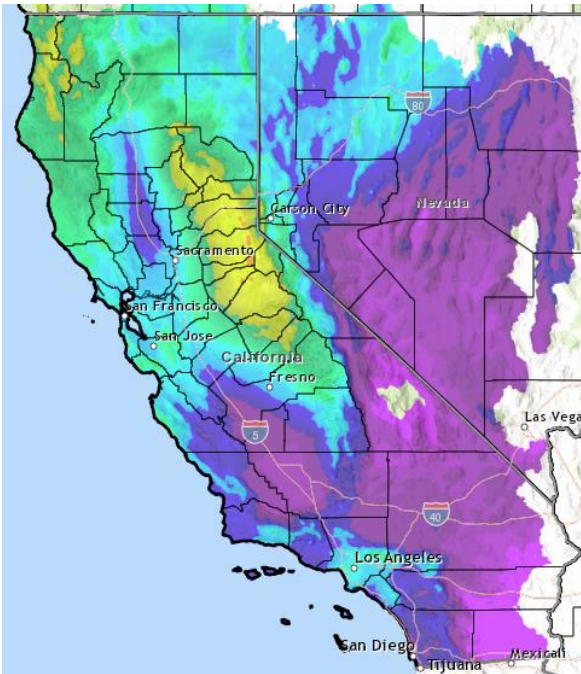
Moderate Impacts



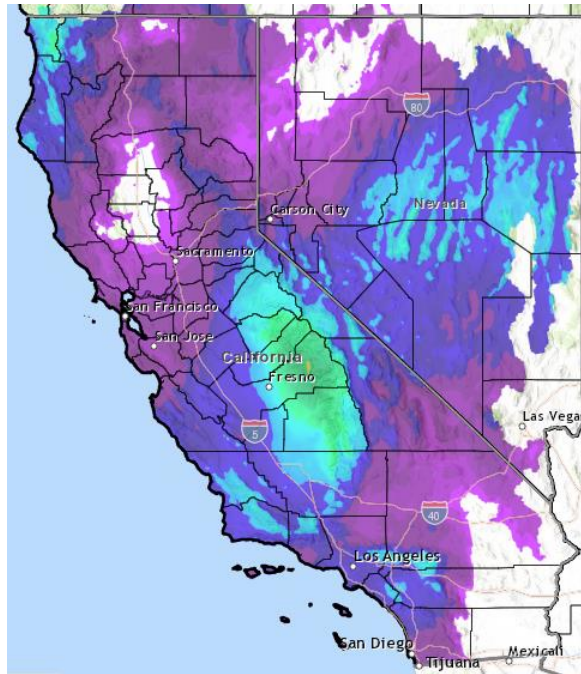
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

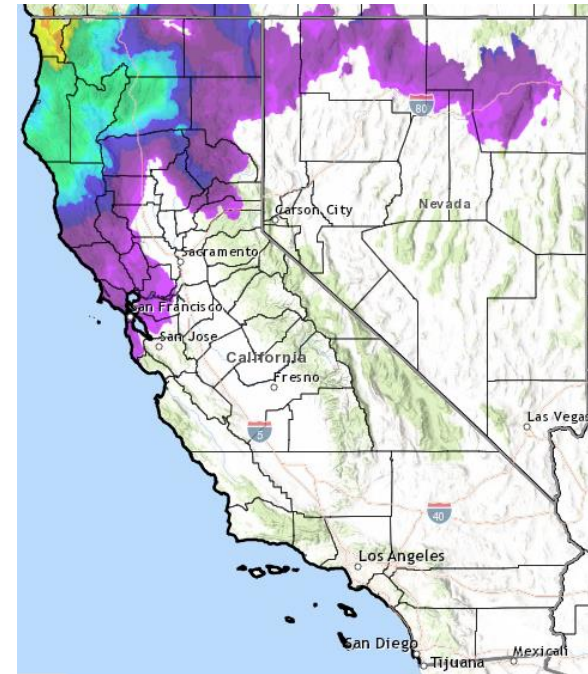
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Saturday



Sunday



Monday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

02/14/19 - 02/22/19

6-10 Day Outlook (Feb 14 – Feb 18)

Temperatures

- Moderate to high confidence for below average temperatures statewide

Precipitation

- Moderate to high confidence for above normal precipitation statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (Feb 16 – Feb 22)

Temperatures

- Moderate to high confidence for below average temperatures statewide

Precipitation

- Moderate to high confidence for above normal precipitation statewide



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